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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicant(s), through the undersigned attorney, hereby petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for responding to the Office Action dated April 11, 2005 for two months from July 11, 2005 to September 11, 2005.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$450.00 to cover the cost of this extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should

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